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**REQUEST
FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. §132, effective on May 29, 2000,
provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application
filed on or after June 8, 1995.
See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA)

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| Application No. | 09/914,974 |
| Filing Date | September 6, 2001 |
| First Named Inventor | Valerie Molto |
| Group Art Unit | 2875 |
| Examiner Name | Ton, Anabel |
| Atty Docket No. | 1948-4758 |

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application.

NOTE: 37 C.F.R. §1.114 is effective on May 29, 2000. If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d) (PTO/SB/29) instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA. See Changes to Application Examination and Provisional Application Practice, Interim Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 14865 (Mar. 20, 2000), 1233 Off. Gaz. Pat. Office 47 (Apr. 11, 2000), which established RCE practice.

1. **Submission under 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
- i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed on _____.
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____.
iii. ☐ Other:
- b. Enclosed
- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. Other: Petition and Fee for Extension of Time

2. **Miscellaneous**

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. §1.103(c) for a period of ____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i) required)
- b. Other:

3. **Fees** The RCE fee under C.F.R. §1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. §1.114 when the RCE is filed

- a. ☐ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 13-4503,
- i. ☐ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e)
- ii. ☐ Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§1.136 and 1.17)
- iii. ☐ Other
- b. ☒ Two Checks in the amount of \$770.00 & \$840.00, respectively, are enclosed.
- c. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 13-4503 Order No. 1948-4758

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED

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| Name (Print/Type) | March 24, 2004 | Reg. No. (Atty/Agent) | 45,794 |
| Signature | <i>Mal D. Hall</i> | Date | <i>03/24/04</i> |

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Applicant(s): Valerie Molto, et al.

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Examiner : Ton, Anabel

For : Indicator Lamp Able To Generate An Inclined Flux, For A Motor Vehicle

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R § 1.114

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Sir:

Kindly enter the following Amendment Under 37 CFR § 1.114 in the above-identified application before continued examination on the merits. This Amendment is being filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in response to the final Office Action mailed on September 24, 2003, and an Advisory Action mailed on March 5, 2004. A Petition and Fee for Extension of Time also accompanies this paper.

List of Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.